



Superior Court Welcomes Luis Ramos to the Bench

Judge Luis Ramos Sworn In To The Santa Clara Superior Court Bench on October 7, 2020

In a ceremony held remotely on Wednesday, October 7, 2020, Judge Luis Ramos was sworn in as a judicial officer to the Santa Clara County Superior Court. Judge Luis Ramos has the unique distinction of having been both elected and appointed to the Bench. In March, Judge Ramos was elected to the Bench and was slated to begin his service for the people of Santa Clara County on January 4, 2021. In August of 2020, Governor Newsom appointed Judge Ramos to serve an interim appointment allowing the Superior Court to swear him in to the Bench in October of this year.

Born in Mexico and raised in East San Jose, Judge Ramos earned his law degree from the Boston University School of Law and then returned to the Bay Area to practice law. He was an associate at Morales, Castro, Herrera, and Campos, Attorneys at Law in 1995, and served as a law clerk at the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office from 1994 to 1995. Judge Luis Ramos was a deputy district attorney at the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office for over 20 years, serving as a trial attorney and a supervisor of multiple teams.

In 2012, Judge Ramos received the prestigious Menard Award from the District Attorney's Office as the Trial Attorney of the Year. Judge Ramos has served on the Boards of both the Santa Clara County La Raza Lawyers Association and the Government Attorneys Association.

"The Superior Court is very pleased to welcome Judge Ramos to the Bench. As a dedicated public servant to the people of Santa Clara County, Judge Ramos has firmly established himself as a valued member of our community. We all look forward to his contributions to the Court's core mission of serving the public by providing equal justice for all in a fair, accessible manner and by instilling public trust and confidence in the Court," said Presiding Judge Deborah A. Ryan.

